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FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a), (b), or (c))	N/A	N/A	N/A	
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.16(k), (i), or (m))	N/A	N/A	N/A	
EXAMINATION FEE (37 CFR 1.16(o), (p), or (q))	N/A	N/A	N/A	
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(i))	38 minus 20 =	*	X	=
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(h))	14 minus 3 =	*	X	=
APPLICATION SIZE FEE (37 CFR 1.16(s))	If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).			
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))			N/A	
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Independent (37 CFR 1.16(h))		15	Minus	14	= 1	x	=	x	=
Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))									
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(j))									
						N/A		N/A	
						TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	228M

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	Application Size Fee (37 CFR 1.16(s))											
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TOTAL ADD'L FEE												

	RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)			
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X	=		OR	X	88 = 616.00
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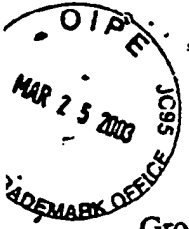
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6-13, 16, 17, 19, 21, 23-26, 28-32, 34, and 36-38 have been amended. Claims 39-46 have been added.

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In response to the Office Action of August 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 22 of this paper.

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